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In re Application of	:	
Ron Campbell Allan et al.	:	
Application No. 09/583,958	:	ON PETITION
Filed: May 31, 2000	:	
Attorney Docket No. AUS920000254US1	:	

This is a decision on the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed June 24, 2008, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely respond to the final Office action mailed November 30, 2004, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. Accordingly, by operation of law, the above-identified application became abandoned on February 28, 2005.

The petition decision mailed April 24, 2008 dismissed the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) filed March 6, 2008 for failure to provide the required proper statement of unintentional delay under 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3).

The instant renewed petition includes a statement of unintentional delay.

The renewed petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that (1) the reply in the form of an Appeal Brief; (2) the petition fee of \$1,500; and (3) the required statement of unintentional delay have been received. Accordingly, the Appeal Brief is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Carl Friedman at (571) 272-6842.

The application file is being referred to Technology Center Art Unit 2154 for appropriate action on the Appeal Brief filed October 24, 2006.

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